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**Louisiana Conference United Methodist Women
The United Methodist Church
2011 Annual Report and Directory**



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Dedication of Annual Report and Directory for 2011

Staphenae Camp Carey

We are pleased to dedicate this Annual Report and Directory to Staphenae Carey because of her devotion and dedication to mission and to United Methodist Women. She has represented our Conference well as a member of the Committee on Nominations, South Central Jurisdiction Leadership Team. We congratulate her on her new assignment as chairperson of the Music Committee for the 2012 Jurisdiction Meeting in Abilene, TX.

A life long resident of the west bank of New Orleans (Gretna/Harvey), Staphenae was introduced to the WSCS at an early age by attending church meetings and other activities sponsored by the women with her great aunt and mother. "There was always some "mission project" that involved raising money for someone in need. It did not matter to these women that they might never know or ever meet the beneficiary of their sacrifices. Through their unselfish acts of love and kindness, I learned about sacrifice and thanksgiving at an early age."

In 1971, Staphenae earned a B.A. in English Education from Dillard University of New Orleans and an M.A. in English from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in 1974. Staphenae retired from the Jefferson Parish Public Schools System in July 2005 after serving 33 years as a teacher and administrator. She has been an adjunct professor who taught writing and communication skills to military personnel at Northwood University which was housed on the Algiers (New Orleans) Naval Base. As a consultant to the department of Education at the University of New Orleans, Staphenae supervised first and second year classroom teachers in several schools in the New Orleans metropolitan area.

Her involvement in mission and UMW includes service on the New Orleans District and the Louisiana Conference. She has served as a Teen Leader, Chair of the Conference Committee on Nominations, Assistant Dean, and Dean of the School of Christian Mission. On the local level, she participates in her church's Bread Basket ministry (preparing meals for the elderly) and serves as the coordinator of Education and Interpretation at her church, Boynton UMC (Gretna) where she has been a life-long member. For the past two years she has served on the Advisory Committee of North Rampart Community Center in New Orleans. In 2008 Staphenae was elected to her

current position as a member of the Committee on Nominations of the South Central Jurisdiction Leadership Team and was assigned to the Central and North Texas Conferences. Within the JLT, Staphenae has also been assigned to chair the committee that will coordinate the music for the 2012 Jurisdiction Meeting in Abilene, TX.

Staphenae loves singing in the Boynton choir, is a member of her church's book club, and enjoys traveling and shopping. She is a member of the New Orleans Chapter of the national service organization of Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc. and the current Advisor to the chapter's Top Teens of America™. Staphenae has one grown son.

"I had no idea then that those WSCS meetings I attended (sometimes against my will!) so long ago with my mother and aunt would have such a positive impact on my life. These women and others who would cross my path in later years served as mentors who instilled in me the importance of Mission and our Purpose. I stand on their shoulders and those of others with whom I have spoken across this jurisdiction and pray that I can be a positive role model for younger women who will hear and heed the Call to Mission."



United
Methodist
Women

FAITH • HOPE • LOVE IN ACTION

The *PURPOSE* of United Methodist Women

United Methodist Women is a community of women whose purpose is to know God and experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ, to develop a creative supportive fellowship and to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church.

Our *PURPOSE* helps us to know who we are, whose we are and for what purpose we have organized. We participate in God's mission in all areas of life. The four mission emphases reflected in the *PURPOSE* are: Spiritual Growth, Social Action, Education and Interpretation, and Membership, Nurture, and Outreach.

The *PURPOSE* of the Women's Division:

The Women's Division shall be actively engaged in fulfilling the mission of Christ and the Church and shall interpret the purpose of United Methodist Women. With continuing awareness of the concerns and responsibilities of the Church in today's world, the Women's Division shall be an advocate for the oppressed and dispossessed with special attention to the needs of women and children, shall work to build a supportive community among women, and shall engage in activities that foster growth in the Christian faith, mission education, and Christian social involvement.

Policy: It is against Women's Division Policy to release lists of officers to any organization or commercial firm. These lists are published for the use of the local, district, and Louisiana Conference officers **ONLY** and are to be used for promotion of the work of United Methodist Women.

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Mrs. Maude P. Harris	Mrs. Beulah Williams	Mrs. J.B. Pollard
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WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

1930-1972

Miss Mildred Evans	Mrs. W.R. Simmons	Mrs. Grace Lawson
Miss Mary G. Page	Mrs. Minza Rabun	Miss Sue Batton
Miss Arline Tyler	Mrs. Gloria Bennett	Mrs. E. Lyons Baker
Mrs. Owinda Taplette	Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas	Mrs. Mary M. Bell
Mrs. Mary Helen Leslie	Mrs. Charles B. McGowan	Miss Ethel Alston

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN – 1972

Mrs. T. E. Kirkpatrick	Mrs. Robert Compton	Mrs. Truman L. Ward
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WOMEN'S DIVISION PRESIDENT – 1964-1968

Mrs. Glenn (Virginia) Laskey

JURISDICTION PRESIDENTS

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1972	Florence Kirkpatrick (died before her first Annual Meeting)
1973-1975	Mary Adele Compton
1975-1979	Amy Ward
1979-1980	Janet Hoffpauir
1980-1983	Nell Read
1984-1989	Janelle McCammon
1990-1993	Norma Winegeart
1994-1997	Pat Cobb
1998-2001	Elouise Sanders
2002-2005	Lueburda Myers
2006-2008	Harriette Tucker Elrod
2009-2011	Edna Brown Hickman

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President of Conference United Methodist Women.....Edna Hickman

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President of Conference United Methodist Women.....Edna Hickman

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Constitution and Bylaws, United Methodist Women Handbook, 2009-2012 p. 94, Article 5

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Constitution & Bylaws, UMW Handbook (2009-2012)
p. 101 Article III Section 1.a.

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Ethel Lilly
Dorothy Kimball
Lana Lathan
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Staphenae Carey
7 District Presidents

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE

Constitution & Bylaws, UMW Handbook (2009-2012)
p.102, Article III, Section 2.

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C & B, UMW Handbook (2009-2012)
p.102, Article IV Section 1.a.

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Laura Salguero
Ethel Lilly
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Juanita Lagard
Dorothy Kimball
Lana Lathan
Others as determined
by the Exec. Committee

COMMITTEE ON THE CHARTER FOR RACIAL JUSTICE

C & B, UMW Handbook (2009-2012)
p.105 Article IV Section 6.a.
Edna Hickman, Laura Salguero,
Ouida Smith and four additional members
nominated by the CON for a total of
seven persons serving.

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Constitution & Bylaws, UMW Handbook (2009-2012)
p. 103, Article IV Section 2.a.

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Laura Salguero
Ethel Lilly
Dorothy Kimball
Lana Lathan
7 District Treasurers

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

C & B, UMW Handbook (2009-2012)
p.104, Article IV, Section 4.a.

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C & B, UMW Handbook (2009-2012)
p. 103, Article IV, Section 3.a.

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Carrie Roy
Lana Lathan
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7 District Coordinators of M,N, & O

COMMITTEE SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN MISSION

C & B, UMW Handbook (2009-2012)
p.104 Article IV Section 4.

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Myrna Freeman
All elected members of the Executive
Committee, including the office of Dean
to be elected annually.

LA Conference United Methodist Women CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 2011 – 2013

Year 2011

- United Methodist Women Sunday – **January 23, 2011**
- Midyear Executive Committee Meeting – **February 17, 2011**
- UMW Spiritual Retreat – **February 18-19, 2011**
- Concurrent Finance, Membership and Nominations Committee – **March 19, 2011**
- West Gulf Regional School – Abilene, Texas – **June 23-26, 2011**
- Conference UMW Executive Committee Meeting – **July 19, 2011**
- Conference UMW School of Christian Mission – **July 20 – 23, 2011**
- UMW Executive Committee Meeting – **October 6, 2011**
- UMW Annual Meeting/DELT – **October 7 -8, 2011**
- Program, School of Christian Mission Committees – **November 12, 2011**

Year 2012

- United Methodist Women Sunday – **January 22, 2012**
- Midyear Executive Committee Meeting – **February 4, 2012**
- Concurrent Finance, Membership and Nominations Committee – **March 17, 2012**
- South Central Jurisdiction Quadrennial Meeting – Abilene, TX- **June 22-24, 2012**
- Conference UMW Executive Committee Meeting – **July 17, 2012**
- Conference UMW School of Christian Mission – **July 18 – 21, 2012**
- UMW Executive Committee Meeting – **October 11, 2012**
- UMW Annual Meeting/DELT – **October 12 – 13, 2012**
- Program, School of Christian Mission Committees – **November 17, 2012**

Year 2013

- United Methodist Women Sunday – **January 27, 2013**
- Midyear Executive Committee Meeting – **February 21, 2013**
- UMW Spiritual Retreat – **February 22 – 23, 2013**
- Concurrent Finance, Membership and Nominations Committee – **March 16, 2013**
- Conference UMW Executive Committee Meeting – **July 16, 2013**
- Conference UMW School of Christian Mission – **July 17 – 20, 2013**
- UMW Executive Committee Meeting – **October 10, 2013**
- UMW Annual Meeting/DELT – **October 11 – 12, 2013**
- Program, School of Christian Mission Committees – **November 16, 2013**

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LOUISIANA UMW GOALS FOR 2011

President: To increase the number of units and members across the Conference.

Vice President: To better communicate information concerning the District and Local Units formulated by the Conference Executive Committee. Concentrate efforts to train and keep counterparts apprised of their responsibilities.

Secretary: To keep accurate minutes of Executive Committee Meetings. To work with District Secretaries to keep accurate records of Conference, District, and local unit officers.

Treasurer: To provide information on fund raising ideas to meet pledge goals, and to inform units of where their pledge monies go.

Spiritual Growth: To encourage unit members to PRAY for our missionary workers and our Conference Executive Committee in the work that they do and the decisions they make for our UMW organization.

Education & Interpretation:

To revamp the Mission Today Report Form.
And to work together to promote mission giving and mission involvement across the world.

Social Action :

Work to increase awareness and enlist support for such social issues as the Charter for Racial Justice, and the Domestic Violence Initiative of the UMWomen.

Secretary of Program Resources:

To have a 15% increase in the number of participants in reading resources.

Communication Coordinator:

To coordinate the publication of the Conference UMW newsletter inserts, district newsletters, and the conference website in order to provide coverage of all aspects of the UMW program.

Louisiana UMW Goals (cont'd)

To have district and local unit communication coordinators to network information to all local churches by whatever means possible.

To establish a website through the GBGM in addition to the Louisiana Conference web page to provide prompt news releases, updating of event programming and registration.

To explore computer software programs and social networking opportunities such as Twitter; Facebook; and YouTube in order to reach and welcome teen, high school, college/university women and younger demographics of membership possibilities.

To extend or web/internet focus by building additional web space using offerings from GBGM. Building our own web space would allow faster updates as information changes. This would be in addition to space that is a part of our LA Conf. website.

Standing Rules & Guidelines Committee:

After corrections and amendments have been passed at the Annual Meeting, we plan to have one meeting per year, with the Executive Committee, preferably in the spring, for a complete review to see if there are areas that need to be addressed.

**LOUISIANA CONFERENCE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN
2011**

PLEDGE TO MISSION		\$182,000.00
ADMINISTRATIVE & MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT		
A. Travel Expense: (Insurance, Lodging/Meals, Mileage)	\$ 8,000.00	
Executive & Other Committees, for Interconference Events & Responsibilities & Church Related Meetings		
B. Resources: Officers	\$ 100.00	
Resources: Service Center Mailings (3)	\$ 105.00	
C. District Administrative & Membership Development	\$ 15,775.00	
D. Jurisdiction A & MD (1 1/4% of Pledge)	\$ 2,275.00	
E. Schools of Christian Mission		
1. West Gulf Regional	\$ 10,000.00	
2. Louisiana Conference	\$ 12,000.00	
F. Programs & Events within Louisiana Conference		
1. Annual Meeting (include Speaker's Travel)	\$ 2,000.00	
2. District Elected Leadership Training (DELT - include Speaker's Travel)	\$ 2,700.00	
3. Retreat 2011 (Cumulative 2 years)	\$ 250.00	
G. Attendance at Regional & National Events		
1. National Assembly, 2014 (Cumulative 4 years) \$9200 through 2014	\$ 2,300.00	
2. Jurisdictional Meeting, 2012 (Cumulative 4 years)	\$ 1,500.00	
3. National Seminar, 2011 (Cumulative 4 years) \$300 through 2011	\$ 300.00	
4. Young Women to SCJQM 2012 (Cumulative 4 years)	\$ 200.00	
H. Operating Expenses		
1. Conference Directory	\$ 1,500.00	
2. Newsletter (Printing & Bulk Mail)	\$ 6,500.00	
3. Postage	\$ 650.00	
4. Office Supplies & Printing (Copying)	\$ 600.00	
5. Telephone	\$ 50.00	
6. Audit for 20-(corresponding year)	\$ 1,000.00	
7. Honors and Memorials	\$ 200.00	
8. Dependent Care Subsidy	\$ 300.00	
I. Church Women United	\$ 300.00	
TOTAL A&MD BUDGET FOR 2011	\$ 68,605.00	\$ 68,605.00
TOTAL CONFERENCE BUDGET FOR 2011		\$250,605.00
District A&MD Budgets for 2011		
District	2011 Pledge	2011 Budget
Acadiana	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 2,055.00
Alexandria	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Baton Rouge	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 1,800.00
Lake Charles	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Monroe	\$ 18,000.00	\$ 1,470.00
New Orleans	\$ 28,000.00	\$ 3,125.00
Shreveport	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 3,325.00
	\$ 182,000.00	\$ 15,775.00

LOUISIANA CONFERENCE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN
01/01/2010-12/31/2010

	2010 Budget	2010 Expenses	2010 Balance
ADMINISTRATIVE & MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT			
A. Travel Expense: (Insurance, Lodging/Meals, Mileage)	\$8,000.00	\$5,831.63	\$2,168.37
Executive & Other Committees, for Interconference Events & Responsibilities & Church Related Meetings			
B Resources: Officers	\$100.00		\$100.00
Service Center Mailings (3)	\$105.00	\$105.00	\$0.00
C. District Administrative & Membership Development	\$16,920.00	\$16,920.00	\$0.00
D. Jurisdiction A & MD (1 1/4% of Pledge)	\$2,662.50	\$2,662.50	\$0.00
Schools of Christian Mission			
1. West Gulf Regional	\$10,000.00	\$7,093.66	\$2,906.34
2. Louisiana Conference (including \$100 for Young Women)	\$10,000.00	\$18,765.06	(\$8,765.06)
Programs & Events within Louisiana Conference			
1. Annual Meeting (include Speaker's Travel)	\$1,500.00	\$8,776.57	(\$7,276.57)
2. District Elected Leadership Training (DELT - include Speaker's Travel)	\$3,200.00	\$1,775.83	\$1,424.17
3. Retreat 2009 (Cumulative 2 years)	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$0.00
Attendance at Regional & National Events			
1. National Assembly, 2010 (Cumulative 4 years)	\$2,300.00	\$5,054.00	(\$2,754.00)
2. Jurisdictional Meeting, 2012 (Cumulative 4 years)	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
3. National Seminar, 2011 (Cumulative 4 years)	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$0.00
4. Young Women to SCJQM, 2012 (Cumulative 4 years) \$200/yr	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$0.00
Operating Expenses			
1. Conference Directory	\$2,000.00	\$850.00	\$1,150.00
2. Newsletter (Printing & Bulk Mail)	\$6,500.00	\$7,740.00	(\$1,240.00)
3. Postage	\$600.00	\$429.36	\$170.64
4. Office Supplies & Printing (Copying)	\$700.00	\$850.07	(\$150.07)
5. Telephone	\$50.00	\$33.47	\$16.53
6. Audit for 2009	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
7. Honors and Memorials	\$400.00	\$150.00	\$250.00
8. Dependent Care Subsidy	\$300.00	\$0.00	\$300.00
Church Women United	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$0.00
TOTAL A&MD BALANCES FOR 2010	\$68,887.50	\$80,587.15	-\$11,699.65

United Methodist Women
LOUISIANA CONFERENCE
THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUMMARY ANNUAL GIVING BY DISTRICT - 2010

District	TOTAL GIVING	MISSION GIVING										Other			
		Total Mission Giving	Pledge to Mission	Special Mission Recognition	Gift to Mission	Gift in Memory	World Thank Offering	Call to Prayer & Self Denial	General Mission	World Mission	National Mission		UMCOR	Brighter Future f/ Children	Magazine Fund
Acadiana	17,263.10 #	12,797.32	9,174.92	647.00	538.50	1,184.35	1,252.55	714.00	100.00	100.00	1,236.00	520.00	100.00	0.00	1,695.78
Alexandria	28,016.71 #	23,802.24	20,048.00	760.00	158.00	796.46	2,039.78	1,534.00	0.00	115.00	500.00	160.00	0.00	0.00	1,905.47
Baton Rouge	43,370.61 #	35,584.90	28,320.20	2,005.00	950.28	1,060.00	3,249.42	2,210.75	0.00	121.00	2,215.77	409.20	10.00	0.00	2,818.99
Lake Charles	40,272.46 #	34,524.86	29,174.42	1,009.00	3,527.40	240.00	574.04	388.50	150.00	50.00	450.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,709.10
Monroe	30,796.99 #	26,828.69	22,577.75	1,820.00	75.00	530.00	1,825.94	1,327.50	226.00	300.00	737.50	85.00	0.00	0.00	1,292.30
New Orleans	41,495.48 #	30,827.78	24,653.10	2,160.00	615.00	485.75	2,903.93	1,335.66	0.00	2,298.40	2,416.75	1,173.65	5.00	5.00	3,433.24
Shreveport	57,555.76 #	46,410.00	38,214.55	2,880.00	680.79	371.00	4,263.66	2,503.36	0.00	300.00	1,563.68	2,222.57	92.00	0.00	4,564.15
La. Conference	2,423.36 #													0.00	2,423.36
Other	36,884.14									35,751.14					1,133.00
Annual 2010	298,178.61	210,776.79	172,172.94	11,281.00	6,544.97	4,667.56	16,109.32	10,013.77	476.00	39,035.54	9,119.70	4,570.42	207.00	5.00	23,975.39

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SUMMARY OF ANNUAL GIVING BY DISTRICTS - OTHER - 2010

District	TOTALS	Estelle Dameron Scholarship	Refining Conference Officers	Mission Ribbons	Mission Candle	A&MD	Conference Directory	District Offerings	Unused District A&MD	Conference Offering	Assembly Offering	Transient	Teen SCM Scholarship
Acadiana	\$1,695.78	100.00	152.50	104.00	512.91	788.37	38.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Alexandria	1,905.47	85.00	171.50	560.00	600.59	488.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baton Rouge	2,818.99	200.00	177.50	781.00	942.49	612.00	56.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	0.00
Lake Charles	4,709.10	125.00	144.50	439.00	294.15	185.00	39.00	0.00	2,582.45	0.00	25.00	850.00	25.00
Monroe	1,292.30	250.00	0.00	330.00	528.94	40.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	108.36	35.00
New Orleans	3,433.24	46.60	167.50	1,184.00	1,254.74	22.00	132.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.00	575.00	46.40
Shreveport	4,564.15	636.09	288.50	996.00	1,356.75	703.81	99.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	255.00	229.00	0.00
Conference	\$2,423.36									2,423.36			
other	\$1,133.00												1,133.00
Annual 2010	\$23,975.39	1,442.69	1,102.00	4,394.00	5,490.57	2,839.56	364.00	0.00	2,582.45	2,423.36	335.00	1,762.36	1,239.40

**LOUISIANA CONFERENCE UMW
BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 2010**

	Mission Funds Mission Giving	Reserve Funds Designated by	Restricted Funds	TOTAL
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ASSETS				
Cash in Checking Account				\$20,000.00
Capital One	\$13953.31	\$5,300.00	\$746.69	\$20,000.00
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LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCES				
Restricted Funds (By Donor for Within Conference)				
1. Estelle Dameron Scholarship Fund			\$646.69	
2. Teen SCM Scholarship Fund			<u>\$100.00</u>	
			\$746.69	
				\$ 746.69
 Reserve Funds (Designated by Conf. Executive Committee)				
1. 2014 National Assembly			\$.00	
2. 2012 S.C. Jurisdiction Assembly			\$ 3000.00	
3. 2011 National Seminar			\$ 1200.00	
4. 2012 S.C.J.A. f/Young Women			\$ 600.00	
5. 2011 Conference Retreat			<u>\$ 500.00</u>	
			\$ 5300.00	
				\$5300.00
 Mission Funds				
1. A&MD Funds Retained for 1 st Quarter			\$13953.31	
				\$13953.31
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TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCES				\$20,0000

LOUISIANA CONFERENCE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING, Alexandria District October 1-2, 2010

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

At the end of Annual Meeting last year in New Orleans, the Alexandria District under the direction of **Carolyn Dove**, president of the District and **Evelyn Evans**, president of the UMW at First United Methodist Church in Natchitoches, came forward to invite us to this year's Annual Meeting. So we come to First United Methodist Church in Natchitoches for our Annual Meeting in year 2010, to meet and greet our Louisiana Retired Missionaries and Deaconesses and to celebrate our theme: **"Faces of Mission"**. We give thanks to God for these persons who have given so much of their time and their lives to serving others. Jesus invites us to love God and to serve others. When we accept His invitation, we become true missionaries. This is exactly what Jesus calls each of us to do when He gave us the great Commission to ***"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of age."*** Matthew 28:19-20.

What a year we have had! We started the year by celebrating United Methodist Women's Sunday in January. Our theme of: **"Celebrating Faith, Love, Hope and Joy"** was indeed an appropriate one and was very similar to our Assembly theme of **"Faith, Hope, Love in Action."**

In April we journeyed to **St. Louis, MO** to **Assembly 2010** by conference bus, airplanes and automobiles. What a time we had as over 7,000 women from all over the world, from many cultures and nationality and many countries, from the able bodied to the disabled, from the underprivileged to the privileged, gathered at **America's Center** to celebrate, **"Faith, Hope, Love in Action"**, with the greeting throughout, **"WE THANK GOD FOR YOU"**. The Louisiana Conference was well represented with 59 persons in attendance.

Annual Conference was held in June and I represented the United Methodist Women at the Laity Session at Annual Conference. **I represented a Sudanese Woman as a part of my UMW report.** I was also a **teller** and I was selected by the **Bishop** to give the closing **prayer** at the end of the session on Tuesday. Also, we had a **DISPLAY** table on Health issues about women which tied into the Conference theme.

The Louisiana Conference hosted the **West Gulf Regional School** at Dillard University again this year in June. I wish to thank **ALL** of the members of the Executive Team who made the experience for our guests a very enjoyable one.

Our School of Christian Mission was held from **Wednesday, July 21, 2010 at 1:00 p.m. to 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 24, 2010, at the Wesley Center.** Our Spiritual Growth Study was ***"For the Love of God, The Epistles of John"***. Our Social Issue Study was. ***"Joy to the World: Mission in the Age of Global Christianity"*** and our Geographical Study was back again from last year and it was, ***"The Beauty and Courage of Sudan: Why a Dream of Peace is Possible"***. Like the adult study, ***"Joy to the World"*** was also our youth study. We want to thank the **Dean, Dolores Giles** and **Assistant Dean, Judy Willis** and all of our study leaders,

musicians, executive team and everyone who participated in making this School of Christian Mission a great success.

We are still organizing new units and strengthening some of the units that we have under our **Membership Counts Campaign**. We will continue this campaign because it is making a difference in increasing membership and retaining units.

At our Executive Committee Meeting early this year, they approved the recommendation of the Charter for Racial Justice Committee for Haiti to be our Social Justice Issue this year. After the Bishop challenged all churches to give to Haiti, the UMW Executive Committee challenged all districts and units to make a special effort to also give to Haiti, in addition to what they had given through their churches. We are pleased to report that through your efforts, **the Louisiana Conference United Methodist Women gave almost \$19,000.00 to Haiti**. Thank you very much for your generosity. What does the Lord require of us? **“To do justice, and to love kindness and to walk humble with your God.” Micah 6:8.**

The Charter for Racial Justice Committee is co-chaired by **Barbara Ferguson, Social Action Coordinator**. Last year, Barbara spearheaded our “letter writing campaign” against charter schools that had special admission requirements. Due to her leadership and our efforts, this practice has been discontinued. Barbara has served four years as Social Actions Coordinator and will be leaving our team. For her efforts and leadership, she is being awarded the **Outstanding United Methodist Women’s Award**. **CONGRATULATIONS BARBARA ON A JOB WELL DONE!**

Other retiring officers will be greatly missed. They are: Laurie Seeger who served two years as Treasurer. Committee on Nominations persons leaving are: Jonelle Walker who served four years, Patricia Watson served four years and Shannon Rachal served two years. Also, Ouida Smith has served two years as Chairperson of Committee on Nominations. She will be leaving as chairperson but will still be on the Committee on Nominations for another year. All of these ladies have served us well and we give them our thanks.

We also welcome to the team all new officers and we welcome back returning officers. We thank God for all of you for your faithfulness and willingness to serve the Lord through this ministry.

Finally, we thank **Carolyn Dove, President of the Alexandria District and Evelyn Evans, President of UMW at First UMC of Natchitoches** for hosting us and all of the program participants. And last but not least, we thank you for your support and for coming to make this Annual Meeting a success. For without YOU, we can do nothing.

In His Name,

Edna Brown Hickman
President
LA Conference UMW

CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

September 30, 2010

Hope you all have had a restful and fulfilling summer. I have just been trying to keep my plants and yard alive and beat the heat myself.

After a very satisfying School of Mission event, I returned home to hear the news of Lana's husband's tragic ordeal. Of course, we were all upset and were in prayer for Jim, Lana and her family. Shortly afterward, I learned of Carolyn Bowers' stroke. Our prayers were with her as well. I rejoice that God has been with these two families and that we have encouraging reports concerning them. GOD IS SO GOOD!

As for myself, I set right to work trying to secure study leaders for the 2011 school. I am happy to report that **Rev. Bernadine Johnson** and **Rev. Amy Mercer** have agreed to return next year to lead the Social Issue study, "Joy to the World: Mission in the Age of Global Christianity" study. **Rev. Doug Milliron** has accepted my invitation to lead the Spiritual Growth study, "Coming Out on the Side of Reconciliation." Also, **Rev. Connie Saizon, Rev. Derrick Hills, and Rev. Arnold Brown** will be coming back to present the Geographic study on Haiti. I have asked two new persons to teach Haiti. They are **Rev. Roy B. Moore**, of the Homer UMC and **Ms. Britney Winn** from First UMC in Shreveport. They are both accomplished teachers. **Ms. Carrie Roy and Leona Berry** will be returning to be study leaders for the Youth. **Ms. Gloria Lester** has agreed to serve as pianist for the event. For the Thursday evening session, **Rev. Hugh Debo**, also from First UMC in Shreveport, has graciously accepted my invitation to speak on mission in Haiti. He and Ms. Winn have been very active in mission work with the people of Haiti before and after the devastating earthquake. They both will be sharing their experiences with us. I do not, however, have anyone to lead the singing at this point. If everything holds together, I am anticipating another good year at School

of Mission in 2011. I offer these names to the Executive Committee for approval.

I have also been involved in the planning of the October Conference Annual Meeting in Natchitoches. I commend the task committee for a job well done. My husband and I, with the help of Carolyn Dove, President Hickman and pictures from the Missionaries, collaborated to design the cover, "Faces of Mission" for our program book. I met with the planning committee twice in Natchitoches. I am also planning to facilitate the Vice Presidents and to collect DELT evaluations.

Shortly after School of Mission, our President, Edna Hickman, asked me to help serve on a committee to study and evaluate whether or not the Study Leaders had met the criteria to be awarded their CEU certification. We were generously provided a conference call so each committee member could express their opinions. We approved President, Edna Hickman, Rev. Connie Saizon, Carolyn Dove and Rev. Derrick Hills.

I have made contact with our Mission Agency Directors by email to invite them to attend our Annual Meeting and give their reports. The planning committee has offered to set up table for any displays they may wish to bring.

At West Gulf Regional each Conference Vice President received information concerning DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. We were asked to distribute this information along with a survey form to give to each UMW unit across the state. I plan to have a display and survey forms available at our Annual Meeting. There is also a link which can be accessed through our UMWmission website on the domestic violence information page. I will make this available as well.

Respectfully submitted: Judy Willis, Conference Vice President

SECRETARY OF PROGRAM RESOURCES REPORT TO LOUISIANA CONFERENCE UMW OCTOBER 1, 2010

It has been an exciting and wonderful year for me. As your conference Secretary of Program Resources, I served my second year on the West Gulf School of Christian Missions' Planning Team. Again, we hosted the West Gulf School of Christian Missions here at our own Dillard University. As the Resource Room person, I got to meet and interact with women and men from all over our jurisdiction and from the Women's Division.

I am pleased to report to you that our participation in the Reading Program is up for 2009-2010. You can see our numbers in the 2009-10 Reading Program Report Summary. Our readership is up 15% over last year. I congratulate all of you who participated in the program. The New Orleans District had the most readers, but the Shreveport District read the most number of books. Each year we see a better variety of books at a more reasonable price. I encourage all of you to take part in the program even if you read only one or two books. We recognize and honor all readers. As I enter my last year as your Secretary of Program Resources, I would like to see more units participating and more reading programs with our children started.

If at any time, you need to call on me, please do so. I am here to serve you. Thank you for the opportunity to serve in this position of our conference UMW.

In Christ's Love,
Dorothy F. Kimball
Secretary of Program Resources
Louisiana Conference UMW

2010 READING PROGRAM SUMMARY
LOUISIANA CONFERENCE
UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

DISTRICT	PLAN 1	PLAN 2	PLAN 3	PLAN 4	PARTICIPANTS	TOTAL READERS	TOTAL # BOOKS
Acadiana	14	1		1	3	19	102
Alexandria	8	1			41	50	143
Baton Rouge	37	5		2	25	69	303
Lake Charles	35	7	1	1	3	47	282
Monroe	17	3	2	1	14	37	190
New Orleans	81	11	2		36	130	569
Shreveport	74	15	5	8	13	115	812

TOTAL NUMBER OF READERS: 467

TOTAL NUMBER OF BOOKS: 2,401

Chairperson, Committee on Nominations Report
Executive Committee Meeting – September 30, 2010

The Committee on Nominations, Louisiana Conference, has met throughout the year. Two meetings were held at Wesley Center in March and July. E-mails and phone calls were prevalent as decisions were made concerning our slate of officers and mission coordinators for the year of 2011.

Truly, I have been blessed with devoted members of the CON, giving their time and talents to the business of filling our slate of officers for next year. Jonelle Walker, Patricia Watson, Shannon Rachal, Emily McCoy, Carrie Roy, Doret Gilbert-Wilson, Carole Boudreaux and Marjorie Franklin are commended for their untiring work as Committee members this year.

I had the great opportunity to attend the West Gulf Regional School at Dillard University for the first time. What a wonderful experience! I attended our School of Christian Mission studies at Wesley Center. The "Potential Leader's" form was placed in the SCM Program Book and all ladies were encouraged to turn in a completed form.

At our last Executive Committee meeting in July, we discussed the reduction of our CON from nine to seven persons. I noted that there would be one lady from each district by 2012. In reading the by-laws, it does not specifically state that this is the rule, but it has been our past custom to attempt to accomplish this.

I attended and participated in the Lake Charles District mission studies, with one being held at my home church in Moss Bluff. When "Quiet Day" was observed by my District at the Lake Arthur Christian Campground, forms were available for those interested in applying for a Conference position and/or wishing to recommend someone. An invitation was extended to me to attend all District Executive Committee meetings, which I did. I look forward to attending other District meetings in Louisiana.

Plans are being executed so that the incoming 2011 officers may attend the LTE training in St. Louis this November.

A Term and Tenure Report will be given at our Executive Committee in Natchitoches.

Respectfully submitted,

Ouida Smith
Chairperson, Committee on Nominations
Louisiana Conference
United Methodist Women



LOUISIANA CONFERENCE OF UNITED METHODIST WOMEN 2010 ANNUAL REPORT MYRNA FREEMAN, EDUCATION & INTERPRETATION



What a wonderful world of learning and experiencing I've had since this time last year! It began with attending the Leadership Training Event in St. Louis in November followed by the Executive Committee meeting at the Wesley Center in January, the Annual Meeting Planning Committee in March and Executive Committee Meetings. Each of these experiences served to educate and provide, for me, a validation and cementing of my own personal commitment to UMW. The quality and creativity together with the Christian commitment of our sisters in UMW is unequalled in any other organization. And, no other woman's organization is so committed to the education of its members.

Attending the Assembly in St. Louis provided further opportunities for education as well as some insight into the issues of immigration, trafficking, social injustice and others. Not to mention the wonderful resources and opportunities for socialization with so many other sisters.

Then there was GWRS (Gulf Western Regional School)! This was my first opportunity to attend a regional school of mission. How exciting to study along-side those who would teach the studies in our own and other conferences, to meet the "train the trainers". And then there was additional leadership training by National staff. One great opportunity for me was the session in which E&I coordinators and treasurers worked on their collaborative efforts. It was an exceptional opportunity to become better acquainted with our own treasurer, Laurie Seeger, and to learn how we should work together to promote mission giving and involvement. Our display table at School of Mission was about giving and mission opportunities across the world. We were able to each approach the topic from the viewpoint of our office.

Of course there was work involved all year, sending information packets to my district counterparts, writing letters of invitation to our retired Missionaries and Deaconesses, placing mission giving banks at School of Mission, writing and teaching mission studies in my own church. I even had the opportunity to exercise my creative side by making favors for instructors at WGRS and School of Mission and for a mission study on Dark Exodus, the story of the Lost Girls of the Sudan.

The conference goal set for Education & Interpretation for 2010 was to increase the number of Mission Today units. Thanks to the efforts of the District E&I's we have a 25+% of increase in Gold Units (from 34 to 43) and a 50% increase in the number of Silver Units (from 8 to 12). I'm so appreciative of their efforts. Every one of them sent their reports in on time!

We are each given innate talents by God. He calls us to mission. It is up to each of us to educate ourselves and interpret how we use our talents to answer the call of God.

In Christ's name,
Myrna

2010 REPORT OF MISSION STUDIES & MISSION TODAY UNITS

DISTRICT	CERTIFICATE			MISSION TODAY	
	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	GOLD	SILVER
ACADIANA DISTRICT					
Abbeville	X			X	
Asbury, Lafayette			X		X
Bayou Blue				X	
Calvary					X
First, Lafayette	X			X	
Mason	X				X
Pharr Chapel				Honorable Mention	
St. Peter, Maringouin				X	
Trinity				X	
ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT					
First, Alexandria			X	X	
First, Many	X				
Glenmora				Honorable Mention	
Oakdale			X		X
Palestine			X	X	
Trinity		X		X	
BATON ROUGE DISTRICT					
Blackwater	X			X	
Baton Rouge District Units	X				
Broadmoor				X	
First, Hammond				X	
First, Ponchatoula			X	X	
Frances Asbury	X				
Hughes	X				
Ingleside	X			X	
St. John	X			X	
Wesley				X	
LAKE CHARLES DISTRICT					
Dequincy	X			X	
First, Lake Charles	X			X	
Henning			X		
Mallilieu	X				
Maplewood	X				
Moss Bluff	X				
University	X				
Wesley, Sulphur	X				
Westlake	X				

DISTRICT	CERTIFICATE			MISSION TODAY	
CHURCH	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	GOLD	SILVER
MONROE DISTRICT					
Bernice	X				
First, Bastrop	X			X	
First, Tallulah	X			X	
Hodge	X				X
Memorial, Bastrop			X	X	
McGuire		X			
Mer Rouge	X			X	
St. Andrews					X
Wesley Chapel	X				X
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT					
Bethany		X		X	
Cornerstone	X			X	
First, Laplace			X	X	
Kenner				X	
Fitzgerald				X	
Live Oak			X		X
Mary’s Chapel			X		
Mount Zion			X	X	
Munholland	X			X	
Peoples	X			X	
St. Matthew				X	
St. Matthews	X			X	
St. Paul		X		X	
Thirkield			X	X	
SHREVEPORT DISTRICT					
Arcadia	X				X
Benton	X			X	
Barksdale	X				
Broadmoor					X
Fellowship	X				
First, Bossier City	X			X	
First, Minden				Honorable Mention	
First, Plain Dealing	X			X	
First, Shreveport	X			X	
Gibbsland/Oak Grove	X			X	
Haughton	X			X	
Haynesville	X				X
Homer				X	
MacDonald		X		X	
North Highlands				X	
Shady Grove	X			X	
Summer Grove				X	
Wesley, Homer	X				
Wesley, Mansfie ld					
St. Luke	X				X
St. Paul		X		X	

Membership, Nurture, & Outreach

On September 10, 2010, I was the Chairperson of the Fall Forum for Church Women United which was held at Christ UMC. The guest speaker was Rev. Mark McCarter who is the Coordinator of Community Renewal International.

On October 7, I met with the UMW Executive Committee. I attended the Conference UMW Annual Meeting in Natchitoches. I presented the *Woman in Mission* award for 2010 to Phyllis Zansler of the New Orleans District. After the Annual Meeting, I led the training for District Membership, Nurture, & Outreach Coordinators.

November 5 was World Community Day, held at St. Paul UMC. This is a time when friends and members can come together to share items with the organizations we support.

On November 6, I attended the Shreveport District Annual Meeting in Haughton, LA. The guest speaker was Dr. Nancy M. Carruth. I gave a synopsis of the work done by our *Woman in Mission* of the year.

Ethel Lilly, Membership, Nurture, & Outreach Coordinator

Spiritual Growth

As Conference Spiritual Growth Coordinator, I have experienced a year filled with interest and joy.

As we prepare for 2011 and the various upcoming activities, I'm sure it will be just as rewarding. My goals for 2011 are as follows:

1. Encourage all members to lift up our organization in prayer every day.
2. Encourage each unit to observe the "Call to Prayer and Self Denial" program.
3. Encourage all UMW members to remember the missionaries and deaconesses who have or are currently serving by sending cards and prayers.
4. Encourage the use of the *UMW Prayer Calendar* at all UMW events, including Conference, District, and local events.

I extend my thanks to all the District Spiritual Growth Coordinators and everyone who responded when asked to assist with a task.

Juanita Lagard, Spiritual Growth Coordinator

**2010 Louisiana Conference United Methodist Women
Annual Meeting-Report from the Office of Communications Coordinator**

***Greetings and Blessings to the members, friends, and guests of the Louisiana
Conference United Methodist Women.***

The conference and district Communications Coordinators have had a rewarding and productive year. We are in a continuing process of learning, sharing and exploring new technologies and improving traditional established publication standards to spread the word about mission. The Louisiana Now!, the Louisiana conference newspaper, continues to be the primary medium for highlighting our UMW mission activities and spreading mission news.

Conference, District, and Local unit communications coordinators appreciate the enthusiasm that members and reporters have had in submitting information for the conference newsletter and will continue to highlight news from throughout the UMW organization's connectional structure: local units, district units, and the Louisiana UMW Conference, Jurisdiction, National, and International news. Our primary goal is to spread the mission story.

Notes on the Louisiana Now! UMW newsletter insert

The Louisiana Conference newspaper, the Louisiana Now! News, Opportunities and Witness of

Louisiana Conference Ministries is published twice a month. An annual subscription drive is done

and has been quite successful among UMW membership throughout the Louisiana conference.

Subscriptions are available for \$20 for one (1) year and \$30 for two (2) years. Check, money order,

Visa or MasterCard credit card is accepted. Check or money order payable to: Louisiana Now!

Mail payment to: Louisiana United Methodist Annual Conference, Attn: Sally Davidson, 527 North

Boulevard, Baton Rouge, LA 70802 225. 346-1646, Phone; 225. 383-2652, Fax; 888. 239-5286, Toll-free. E-mail: lcumc@bellsouth.net, (Spam bots protected, JavaScript enabled)

The UMW insert to the Louisiana Now! is published four times a year. The publication plan for the UMW insert is for the UMW insert to be a "lift-out" section for easy distribution. The 2010 insert publication dates are listed and can be viewed and copied from the LA Now! Newspaper, Archives of past issues, News & Events section of the Louisiana Conference web page at <http://www.la-umc.com>

- January Newsletter, article submissions due November, 2009, Insert published in the February 12, 2010 issue
- May Newsletter, article submissions due March, Insert published in the May 14, 2010 issue
- July or August Newsletter, article submissions due July, Insert publication published in the August 13, 2010 issue

The next UMW newsletter insert will appear in the November, 2010 Louisiana Now! article submissions are due October 9, 2010. The 2011 UMW insert publication dates will be announced as soon as they are established. Please stay tuned.

UMW newsletter insert Publication and Distribution Statistics

The Louisiana Conference Communications office has provided the following statistics for the 2010

distribution of the UMW newsletter insert:

- Louisiana Now! has increased distribution to 6,000 copies.
- Additional distribution sites: Disaster Response center, 500 copies each, in New Orleans, Dulac, Abbeville, and Lake Charles, Louisiana; an additional 500+ copies to churches; distribution at the Wesley Center, 2350 Methodist Parkway, Woodworth, LA 71485, 318.449.4500; 318.449.4700 fax.
- All Pastors, District Superintendents, active and retired surviving spouses receive copies.

UMW Distribution and Costs:

- Distribution to UMW membership specifically 734;
- Cost/Charges remained at \$1,500.00 per issue, \$375.00 per page; \$6,000.00 annually.

Ms. Jamie Warren, Louisiana Now staff member, monitors the UMW mailing list and the Louisiana conference mailing list to eliminate mailing duplications. This provides accurate savings in postage. These statistics are very encouraging and assure that the UMW newsletter quarterly inserts are reaching an increasing distribution and readership.

2011 Projections and Goals

- Coordinate the publication of the Conference UMW newsletter inserts, district newsletters, and the conference web site in order to provide coverage of all aspects of the UMW program.
- Coordinate the work of district and local unit communication coordinators to network information to all local churches with and without active UMW units; with and without computer and internet access or only snail mail communication.
- Establish a web site through the General Board of Global ministries in addition to the Louisiana Conference web page to provide prompt news releases, updating of information such as events programming and registration.
- Explore computer software programs and social networking opportunities such as Twitter (<http://twitter.com>); Facebook, (<http://www.facebook.com>); and YouTube (<http://www.youtube.com>) appropriately in order to reach and welcome teen, high school, college/university women, and younger demographics of membership possibilities. News of our work and programs is reaching beyond just Louisiana UMW membership to tell many others about Louisiana's UMW programs, mission activities, and provide inspiration for new membership and participation in United Methodist Women.... Expanding mission through the Global ministries of the church.

Respectfully submitted,

Lana P. Lathan, Communications Coordinator
Louisiana Conference United Methodist Women

September 1, 2010

Greetings Ladies,

The **South Central Jurisdiction Leadership Team** has been planning an exciting **Quadrennial Meeting – June 22-24, 2012 in Abilene, TX**. We have selected the theme, **"Women Responding to God's Love and Grace"**. Delegates will be participating in the election of members of the next Leadership Team and Directors to Women's Division. For more information, visit the web-site at **www.gbgm-umc.org/scjurisdictionumw**

Of course, you do not have to be a delegate to attend. You will be excited and inspired by the spirit-filled singing, Bible study led by the dynamic Dr. Dorothy T. Watson, and thought-provoking discussions of topics of interest in break-out sessions. You don't want to miss this opportunity for spiritual growth or to increase your level of social consciousness. **Come! Learn** more about these servant leaders in our organization and the electoral process by which they are selected. The Regional SCM will take place immediately after the Quad meeting.

The nine member JLT has been on a challenging but truly inspiring journey. God has blessed us with a great sense of purpose, wonderful camaraderie, and a fabulous sense of humor! Last year the five of us of the CON had the pleasure of visiting all 15 conferences during their Schools of Christian Mission Events, Cooperatives, and/or Annual Meetings. The women that we met eagerly shared with us their witness of God's love in their lives and their involvement in Mission. I encourage you as United Methodist Women to continue to "respond to God's Love and Grace" through your commitment to Mission.

Thank you for your individual and collective prayers for me (your native daughter), members of the JLT, and all who serve in Mission. I applaud your dedication and untiring efforts!

Shalom!

Staphenae

Staphenae C. Carey
Committee on Nominations

Women's Division Director Mission Report

"For I am not ashamed of the gospel. I see it as the very power of God working for the salvation of everyone who believes it, both Jew and Greek. I see in it God's plan for imparting righteous men, a process begun and continued by their Faith. For as the scripture says: The righteous shall live by Faith." Romans 1:16-17 Phillips

It is with great pleasure I report to you in the avenue of FAITH the joy of serving as your representative to the Women's Division as a director. It is in the spirit of FAITH I participated in the 2010 Assembly as one of the inside prayer vigil leaders, served as a scripture reader, and served in other areas of the programming. I continue to educate and interpret mission opportunities to women of all ages and especially younger women. I was afforded the opportunity to serve as a mission interpreter in the 2010 Louisiana Conference School of Christian Mission Teen Class as I shared personal stories of mission encounters.

"AND YOU WILL HAVE CONFIDENCE, BECAUSE THERE IS HOPE; YOU WILL BE PROTECTED AND TAKE YOUR REST IN SAFETY." Job 11:18 RSV

It is in the spirit of HOPE that I encourage all of you to order the newly released UMW gift Bible that offers reflection questions, litanies, and a grassroots method of reading scripture, available through the United Methodist Women Mission Resource Center. It is with HOPE that every member of the Louisiana United Methodist Conference Women will take advantage of the FREE subscription to the *"NEWS,"* our official national newspaper, available by contacting:

United Methodist Women
Mission Resource Center
1221 Profit Drive
Dallas, TX 75247

It is my hope that the women of the Louisiana Conference will utilize the newly released brochures titled: "20 Questions 2009-2012" and "Membership Joys to invite perspective members!"

"...The Lord's unfailing LOVE surrounds the man who trusts in him." Psalm 32:10b

LOVE in action was revealed to me this summer through a visit to the North Rampart Center summer camp program, touring our mission project and conversing with director, Deaconess JoAnn Finely, who showed me our mission money at work. Smiling faces and eager children were engaged in swimming, acting, and a reading program that was in progress. LOVE in action was given to me in the form of what I would call the Conference's biggest Thank you card that included a poem written by Daralyn Fulton, a thirteen year old from the 2010 La Conference School of Christian Mission teen class, titled "War of the World", which was shared at the Women's Division editorial committee meeting in August 2010.

Love continues to be in action as we seek God's will through the organized units of United Methodist Women, Women who KNOW GOD and answer the call to mission.

In the spirit of Faith, Hope, and Love in action,

Kathleen Conrad
Women's Division Director

Louisiana Conference UMW Annual Meeting Minutes

1:00 PM, Oct.1, 2010

Natchitoches, La.

Convening of the 37th Conference Annual Meeting - President Edna Hickman

Invocation - Juanita Lagard, Spiritual Growth Coordinator

Affirming the Purpose of United Methodist Women - Debbie Hancock, Alexandria District

Welcome: Rev. Ellen Alston, Alexandria District Superintendent

Rev. Doug de Graffenried, Pastor of First United Methodist, Natchitoches

Carolyn Dove, Alexandria District UMW President

Evelyn Evans, UMW President, First United Methodist Church

Lighting of the Mission Candle - Nancy McCulloch, Alexandria District Vice President, and Judith Hayes, Alexandria District Communications Chairperson

The offering to the Mission Candle was \$4,741.23. The UMW Mission Candle burned for two hours and forty-five minutes.

Meditation - Rev. Jacqueline King, First United Methodist Church

Appointment to Examine Journal - Edna Hickman appointed Ouida Smith and Juanita Lagard.

Mission Team Reports

Conference Goals - Judy Willis moved that the Conference Goals be approved as printed in the Program Book, p. 6. The motion was seconded by Laurie Seeger and carried.

Conference Budget, 2011 - Laurie Seeger moved that the Conference Budget be approved as printed on page 7 of the Program Book. The motion was seconded and carried.

The Conference Pledge to mission will be \$182,000.00 in 2011. Laurie presented Five Star Certificates to each District Treasurer for units in their respective Districts.

Education & Interpretation - Myrna Freeman reported that there was an increase in both Gold and Silver Mission Today Units in 2010. She presented Mission Study Certificates and Mission Today Unit Certificates to representatives from each District.

Social Action - Barbara Ferguson reported on her work as Social Action Coordinator. She presented *Exemplary Service Awards for Social Action* to representatives from each District.

Membership, Nurture & Outreach - Ethel Lilly reported on her work as Coordinator. She presented the *Woman in Mission of the Year Award* to Phyllis Zansler of the New Orleans District.

Program Resources - Dorothy Kimball reported that the number of Reading Program Certificates had increased 15% above the previous year. She distributed certificates to representatives from each District.

Standing Rules & Guidelines - Tillie Shows reported that the Committee recommended changes in the Standing Rules as printed on page 19 of the Program Book. Many of the changes reflected updates of the Standing Rules. Tillie moved that changes to the Standing Rules be approved as recommended by the Committee. The motion was seconded by Joyce Thibodeaux and carried.

Nominations - Nominations Chairperson Ouida Smith noted that changes to the Standing Rules approved by vote of the delegates will change the number of members of the Committee on Nominations from nine to seven. This change was recommended by the Committee on Nominations. Ouida presented the slate of nominees for Conference Offices: Vice President – Judy Willis, Treasurer – Brenda Marks, Spiritual Growth – Juanita Lagard, Social Action – Laura Salguero, Chairperson of the Committee on Nominations – Carrie Roy. Nominees for the Committee on Nominations: Judy Nugent and Bettye Watson. Ouida moved that the slate of nominees be elected as presented.

Edna Hickman presided over the election of officers. She called for nominations from the floor for Vice President, Treasurer, Spiritual Growth Coordinator, Social Action Coordinator, and the Chairperson of the Committee on Nominations. There were no nominations from the floor. Edna asked for nominations from the floor for members of the Committee on Nominations. There were no nominations from the floor. Taylor Phillips made a motion that the slate of nominees be elected as recommended by the Committee on Nominations. The motion was seconded by Luberta Myers and carried.

President's Report – Edna Hickman reported on the past year of the Louisiana Conference UMW. A group of ladies from Louisiana joined UMW members from other states and other countries at the Assembly 2010 in St. Louis. UMW members donated 10,984 shawls and baby blankets to be distributed to UMW mission programs and agencies. The Louisiana Conference also participated in the "Membership Counts" campaign in which District and Conference officers visit local units to provide information and assistance as needed. Edna recognized Dr.

Nancy Carruth, a long time member of United Methodist Women. Dr, Carruth published and mailed out the Conference newsletter for over twenty years. UMW members previously honored Dr. Carruth for her many years of service by making donations to the scholarship fund in her name at Centenary College. Edna presented a Special Mission Recognition Pin to Dr. Carruth in appreciation for her service to United Methodist Women.

Edna recognized Dr. Barbara Ferguson for her outstanding service as the Social Action Coordinator for the Conference. Dr. Ferguson organized a letter writing campaign to our state legislators to ensure equal access to public education in charter schools in Orleans Parish. Edna presented a Special Mission Recognition Pin to Dr. Ferguson.

The Social Action emphasis in 2010 was our mission in Haiti, which suffered a powerful earthquake in January. UMW members donated over \$19,000.00 to Haiti through the Women's Division.

Women's Division – Kathleen Conrad, Women's Division Director, brought greetings from the Women's Division. She encouraged units to get a copy of the 31-derful ways calendar, and to read the World Thank Offering meditations during the month of October. She reported that UMW members can now order Special Recognition Pins from the Mission Resource Center. She encouraged UMW members to consider submitting their names as candidates for the election of delegates to General Conference in 2012

South Central Jurisdiction – Staphenae Carey, a member of the Jurisdiction Leadership Team, encouraged UMW members to attend the South Central Jurisdiction meeting on June 22-24, 2012 in Abilene, Texas.

Church Women United – Mary H. Collins reported on Church Women United programs.

Mission Project Reports

Dulac Community Center – Jamie Billiot reported on activities at the Dulac Community Center. The south Louisiana area has suffered economic and psychological effects from the BP Oil disaster in the Gulf of Mexico. The Community Center has organized programs and assistance to help residents cope with the loss of jobs and the environmental damage.

MacDonells – Heidi Hillary was unable to attend the meeting, but Jamie Billiot read her report. Heidi is the new Director of MacDonells. She has plans to expand the program to offer transitional care for teens when they leave MacDonells and need assistance in making the adjustment.

North Rampart Community Center – Staphenae Carey reported that the Director had resigned, so the Community Center was looking for a new Director. The former Director had provided a written report about activities at the Community Center.

Honoring Retired Missionaries and Deaconesses – Edna Hickman presented a Membership Pin to each retired missionary and deaconess in appreciation for his or her service.

Service Honoring Retiring Conference Officers – Luberda Myers, former Conference President, led the service. Retiring officers were Laurie Seeger, Dr. Barbara Ferguson, Ouida Smith, Jonelle Walker, Patricia Watson, and Shannon Rachal.

Closing Devotional – Juanita Lagard

Adjournment

RECONVENE 6:30 PM – BANQUET, MUSIC, AND SPEAKER

NATCHITOCHES EVENTS CENTER, 750 2nd STREET

Welcome – Edna Hickman

Words of Grace – Margaret Wade Campbell, Retired Missionary

Special Music – “Shout to the Lord” Band from First UMC

Speakers – Rev. Carlos and Saroj Welch, Retired Missionaries to India

Benediction – Carolina Labrada, Retired Deaconess

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

8:30 AM

Pledge Service – Laurie Seeger, Myrna Freeman, and District Treasurers

Acadiana District Pledge - \$ 16,000.00

Alexandria District Pledge \$ 20,000.00

Baton Rouge District Pledge \$ 30,000.00

Lake Charles District Pledge - \$ 20,000.00

Monroe District Pledge - \$ 18,000.00

New Orleans District Pledge \$ 28,000.00

Shreveport District Pledge \$ 50,000.00

La. Conference Pledge - \$ 182,000.00

Presentation of Special Mission Recognition Pins - Edna Hickman presented Mission Pins to Carolyn Dove and Evelyn Evans, Co-Chairpersons of the Annual Meeting.

Installation of Officers – Dr. Nancy Carruth led the installation of newly elected officers,

Judy Willis - Vice President

Brenda Marks - Treasurer

Juanita Lagard - Spiritual Growth

Laura Salguero - Social Action

Carrie Roy - Chairperson, Committee on Nominations

Judy Nugent - Nominating Committee

Bettye Watson - Nominating Committee

Invitation to the 2011 Annual Meeting - Shirley Ledbetter invited UMW members to attend the 2011 UMW Annual Meeting in Shreveport.

Report of Offering - Laurie reported the offering for the Annual Meeting was \$ 1,561.25.

Report of Registration - Laurie Seeger reported 204 registrations and 6 guests (210 total).

Holy Communion

Benediction - Mary Giddens, Alexandria District Coordinator, Education & Interpretation

Adjournment

District Elected Leader Training followed the Annual Meeting.

Submitted by: Joyce M. Thibodeaux, Conference Secretary

